

# Edmodo Class Site Project

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## Description:

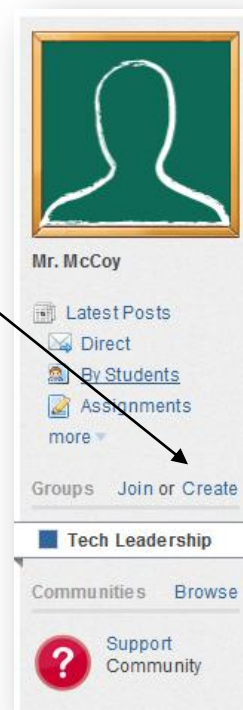
Edmodo is a great way to introduce students to Social Networking and show them the educational and productive uses of Social Networking sites. Businesses today rely on social networking to help sell products and promote themselves. It is a part of the world we live in and students must learn to use it effectively in the 21st Century.

## Goal:

Create an Edmodo class site that you can use with your students as an extension of the classroom or as a vehicle for learning within your classroom.

## Assignment:

1. Go to [www.edmodo.com](http://www.edmodo.com) and create a username and password if you have not already done so
2. Set up a Group by clicking on the Create button on the left side of your screen. You can also join groups by clicking on the join button and typing in the group code of that group. The only people who can comment on your group page is people who have permission to do so. You can give this code to just your students or you can give the code to parents as well if you would like them to be able to comment on students work etc.
3. Type in the information required to create your group (Group name, Grade, Subject Area), and click Create.
4. Your group will now appear in your groups window on the left side of your screen. You can create as many groups as you like and you may want to consider creating separate groups for each class. However, remember the purpose of social networking. It may be more authentic and realistic if all your Algebra 1 CP classes were in the same group and all your AP classes in another group. How you set it up is up to you. Just make sure you have a purpose of how it is going to be used. That will drive how you set up your group(s).



## Rubric

Category	25 Points	20 Points	15 Points
Student Understands the basic operation of Edmodo	<p>Edmodo Site contains all of the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Profile picture (does not have to be real photo, can be a generic photo to represent teacher)</li> <li>2. A poll for students/parents (think info you want to know at beginning of year)</li> <li>3. A quiz (formal or informal) about a topic of study</li> <li>4. Three assignments created in the Assignment section for students</li> <li>5. One alert to remind students, call to action, etc.</li> </ol>	<p>Edmodo Site contains 4 of the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Profile picture (does not have to be real photo, can be a generic photo to represent teacher)</li> <li>2. A poll for students/parents (think info you want to know at beginning of year)</li> <li>3. A quiz (formal or informal) about a topic of study</li> <li>4. Three assignments created in the Assignment section for students</li> <li>5. One alert to remind students, call to action, etc.</li> </ol>	<p>Edmodo Site contains 3 of the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Profile picture (does not have to be real photo, can be a generic photo to represent teacher)</li> <li>2. A poll for students/parents (think info you want to know at beginning of year)</li> <li>3. A quiz (formal or informal) about a topic of study</li> <li>4. Three assignments created in the Assignment section for students</li> <li>5. One alert to remind students, call to action, etc.</li> </ol>

1. Once you have set up your group, invite me using the group code so I can access your page. Also be prepared to take 5 minutes and share your Edmodo site with the class. You should share the following
  - a. What grade level/subject(s) you set your Edmodo site is geared towards
  - b. How you would use Edmodo in your classroom
  - c. Benefits of adding Edmodo to your classroom

